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Obituaries

Associated Press

Robert Marella in ring as wrestling villain "Gorilla Monsoon."

'Gorilla Monsoon' Marella; Wrestler, TV Announcer

From Associated Press

WILLINGBORO, N.J.—Former professional wrestler Robert "Gorilla Monsoon" Marella, one of the most beloved villains of the ring who became a television announcer for the World Wrestling Federation, has died at the age of 62.

Marella, who had suffered from diabetes and heart problems in recent years, died Wednesday at his home in this Philadelphia suburb, where he had been a longtime resident.

The 6-foot-6, 400-pound Marella began his wrestling career in the 1960s, competing in more than 8,000 matches before retiring in the early 1980s. He once shared a world tag team title with "Killer" Kowalski.

"Gorilla Monsoon was one of the best bad guys ever in the business," Bill Apter, editor in chief of World of Wrestling magazine, wrote in a tribute.

Initially a villain who feuded with pro wrestling legend Bruno Samartino, Marella later became beloved among fans of the ever-growing entertainment genre. After retiring, he became a ringside analyst on WWF telecasts.

Marella was known for his on-air banter with colleague Jesse "The Body" Ventura—a former professional wrestler who is now governor of Minnesota.

"The loss of Gorilla Monsoon saddens me deeply," Ventura said in a statement. "He was both a friend and a colleague, and I have many fond memories of the time we spent together. He will be missed."

Marella grew up in western New York state. He began wrestling at the age of 8 in a YMCA. He later held New York scholastic records in the shot-put and discus.

He graduated from Ithaca College with a degree in physical education and physiotherapy, and worked briefly as a teacher before a wrestling promoter offered him $500 to enter the ring.

Despite his fearsome appearance, Marella's Willingboro neighbors remember him mainly as a loving father who prided himself on his lasagna.

Marella is survived by his wife, Maureen, a son and two daughters.

Bernard Buffet; Prolific French Painter

By MYRNA OLIVER
TIMES STAFF WRITER

Bernard Buffet, the critically scorned but commercially popular French painter who had two museums in Japan dedicated to his work, has committed suicide. He was 71.

Buffet was found Monday by his wife, Annabel, in a hallway near his studio in Tourtour, France, with a plastic bag over his head. Friends said that Buffet had Parkinson's disease, could no longer paint and told them he was tired of life.

Bucking the trend toward abstract art by his contemporaries, Buffet remained an outspoken advocate and practitioner of figurative painting. He was known for his distinctive black brush strokes and bright colors depicting gloomy elongated faces and buildings, particularly sketches of sad-faced clowns and imperial Russian palaces.

The prolific painter who became a millionaire by the age of 20 could complete a painting in half an hour and created more than 8,000 pictures. Complete with his trademark spiky signature, many were re-created as posters in the 1990s. Originals sell for prices ranging from $90,000 to $1 million.

Buffet's best notices in France came at the outset of his career but faded quickly. Trained at the Ecole des Beaux Arts in Paris, he gave his first exhibition in 1946 when he was 18. Two years later he received the Prix de la Critique, and in 1955 he was designated one of the 10 best painters of the postwar era by the review Connaissance des Arts.

But France's most prestigious repository of modern and contemporary art, the Georges Pompidou Center, never bought any of Buffet's work.

His often gruesome paintings, including a series on the horrors of war, were said to reflect France's view of itself after the war but became too dreary as the nation emerged from its poverty and depression.

"Bernard Buffet, 30, of Paris, painted the gloom and hunger of the occupation, got rich at it, yet still paints like a starveling while living it up in a 17th-century chateau with park and Rolls-Royce with chauffeur," Arthur Millier wrote for The Times in 1958 when 24 of Buffet's canvases were exhibited in Beverly Hills at the Silagy Galleries.

"Buffet perfected his stark, gloomy style while cold and hungry in the capital of a country whose people were angry and confused and felt dishonored. His canvases . . . express stoical despair," Millier sniffed. "Only a few [people] want a Buffet in their living room; but those few have money and buy at high prices."

The Los Angeles County Museum of Art staged a Buffet exhibit in 1954.

In Rome, the Vatican Museum devoted an entire room to one of his works. In Russia, Buffet in 1991 became the first living artist to have a retrospective at the Hermitage and Pushkin museums. Japan, which Buffet frequently visited and used as a subject, opened its first museum devoted to his work in 1973.

Until illness overtook him, Buffet staged a major show a year, each with a central theme such as the circus, New York, birds, churches or portraits of his wife. He was an etcher, lithographer, designer and sculptor as well as a painter, and designed sets and costumes for plays and ballets, decorated chapels and illustrated books, including Jean Cocteau's "La Voix Humaine."

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Bernard Buffet in 1993

In addition to his second wife, Annabel, Buffet is survived by three children.

■ Claude Bessy; Punk Rock Writer

Claude Bessy, 54, a colorful and influential figure in Los Angeles' late 1970s punk rock world. A native of France, Bessy moved to Los Angeles in 1973 and created a reggae fan magazine. In 1977 he co-founded Slash magazine with a group of fellow artists in the Venice area, and the monthly publication became the unofficial organ of the city's thriving punk rock scene. Writing under the name Kickboy Face, Bessy unleashed torrents of irreverent musical and social criticism that reflected the anarchic spirit of the times and championed such uncommercial but influential acts as X and the Germs. In 1978 the magazine released a record by the Germs called "Lexicon Devil," launching a record label that in later years would sign such bands as Los Lobos and Violent Femmes. Bessy moved to England in 1980, where he worked as a writer, disc jockey and music video producer and served as a consultant to such acts as the Fall, Nick Cave and Sonic Youth. In 1987 he moved to Barcelona, where he died Oct. 2 of lung cancer.

■ Panos Koulermos; Prominent Architect

Panos Koulermos in 1977

Panos Koulermos, 66, an architect who designed award-winning buildings in Europe while serving as a longtime professor of architecture at USC. Koulermos was chairman of the school's graduate program in architecture from 1973 to 1977 and served as interim dean from 1978 to 1981. He led seminars on architectural theory and history, urban planning and design, the growth and development of Los Angeles, and other topics. He founded and directed USC's study abroad program in Como, Italy. Koulermos, who was born in Cyprus and held British citizenship, graduated from London's Polytechnic School of Architecture and Planning in 1957 and completed postgraduate studies in urbanism at the Politecnico di Milano in 1963. In addition to practicing architecture in Athens, London, Los Angeles and Milan, Koulermos was founder and director of an international workshop in environmental design held in Greece in 1972, 1973 and 1974. He also worked as a correspondent and critic in Milan and Greece for the British periodical Architectural Design. He was the author of "20th Century European Rationalism" in 1995. A memorial service will be held at USC. Please call (213) 740-2083 for details. On Sept. 26 in Raleigh, N.C. of a stroke.

■ Emil Schumacher; German Artist

Emil Schumacher, 87, one of postwar Germany's leading abstract Expressionist artists. Growing up in Hagen, Germany, he began drawing and sketching his surroundings and family members. During World War II he worked as a technical draftsman at a battery works. Later resuming his painting, he founded the group "The Young West" with Gustav Deppe, Thomas Grochowiak, Ernst Hermanns, Heinrich Siepmann and Hans Werdehausen. In the early 1950s, Schumacher broke with tradition and adopted a completely abstract style that became known as "informal art" in which the workmanship and application of paint and other materials becomes the image. He received the French Order of Merit, and Paris' Jeu de Paume staged a retrospective for his 85th birthday. Schumacher's paintings also hang in the Guggenheim Museum in New York and the Tate Gallery in London. On Monday while vacationing on the island of Ibiza in Spain.

■ Dimitri Tsafendas; S. African Assassin

Associated Press

Dimitri Tsafendas in 1966

Dimitri Tsafendas, 81, who assassinated South African Prime Minister Hendrik F. Verwoerd in 1966. Tsafendas was born in Mozambique to a Greek father and a mother who was a house servant of mixed race. A bright man with an I.Q. of 125, Tsafendas did poorly in school before joining the South Africa Merchant Navy. His mental instability became noticeable during his foreign travels. At one point, he walked across the frozen St. Croix River from Canada into the United States. At another time he presented himself at the Mandelbaum Gate, demanding entry to Israel from Jordan. According to a story in The Guardian, Tsafendas was "given shock treatment in Portugal, certified insane in England, given more shock treatment in Germany and baptized on a beach in Greece before returning to South Africa in 1964." Despite his curious past, Tsafendas got a job as a messenger in the South African Parliament in Cape Town. On Sept. 6, 1966, Tsafendas walked up to the 64-year-old Verwoerd and plunged a knife into his heart four times. The assassin claimed that a giant "tapeworm" in his stomach had forced him to kill Verwoerd, who was widely considered the architect of Apartheid. Despite opposition from human rights activists, Tsafendas was imprisoned in 1966 and remained there until 1991, when he was sent to a mental hospital. On Thursday at Sterkfontein Mental Hospital near Johannesburg. No cause of death was given.

OBITUARIES/FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

OBITUARIES

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Feinberg, Eleanor
Gittleman, Morris
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Wise, Jesse R.
Yahiro, Robert K.
Yamanaka, Sumiye
Zarkarian, Anastasia G.

ABRAMSON, Florence
Hillside Mortuary, 800/576-1994

ANDERSON, Robert E. "Bob," born September 23, 1939 in Chicago, Illinois, and passed away suddenly at his home in Los Angeles on October 5, 1999. Beloved father of Scott and Erin; loving companion of Emily Connors for fifteen years; cherished brother of Richard (Barbara) Johnson, William (Janice) Peterson, Carol (William) Schmitt and the late Ruth Arth; and uncle to many. He was an accomplished computer programmer and operated the ETC Graphics & Printing on Fairfax. Bob was described as a peaceful easy-going soul and will be dearly missed by all.
Visitation today 2-7pm at Callanan Mortuary, 1301 N. Western Ave., L.A.
Callanan Mortuary Directors, 323/462-2266.

BARDACH, Ruth
Mount Sinai Mortuary

BATHGATE, Frances L., 95, passed away October 1, 1999, in La Habra, California. Born in Dexter, Iowa in 1904, she grew up in Santa Ana, California. She and her late husband, Kenneth, were long-time residents of Whittier, California. She is survived by her sister, Helen Wilson; daughter, Barbara Bathgate; son, Kirk Bathgate and his wife, Sheila; son, Bob Bathgate and his wife, Liz; and granddaughter, Laurel Haglund and her husband, Andrew.
Interment was October 6, at Fairhaven Memorial Park in Santa Ana, California.

BENZE, Lucy
Armstrong Family Directors

BERLAND, Lance
Armstrong Family Directors

BERNER-HANSEN, Erik
Forest Lawn-Hollywood Hills

BOAGS, Charles Donald, born July 31, 1929 in Brooklyn, New York. Passed away October 5, 1999 of a stroke.
Charles obtained a BS Degree in Accounting and Economics in 1951 from Long Island University. A Marine in the Korean War, he attended Brooklyn Law School, graduating in 1956. He was the first African-American LA County Public Defender. He was at one time the highest appointed African American government official west of the Mississippi.
Throughout his life, he fought doggedly for the rights of the downtrodden. Former presiding judge, Beverly Hills Municipal Court, he recovered from alcoholism with the help and love of members of the Other Bar and like organizations. He was eight years sober when he died, and devoted much of his time those eight years to helping others similarly afflicted, from other judges to gang members.
Survived by the accomplishments of which he was most proud, his children, Martin Robert (attorney), Lisa Marie (documentary filmmaker), and Sarah Elise (fashion model); beloved friends including Sherrill Nell Babcock, the Tremayne Family, and many, many others. His bravery, generosity, and pureness of heart were, and always will be, a joy to all who knew him.
A wake will be held on Friday, October 8 at 7:00pm at the home, 4036 Tropico Way, LA 90065, and a service on Saturday, October 9, at 10:30am at the Christian Fellowship Congregational Church, 2080 South Hobart Blvd., Los Angeles, (323)731-8869, reception to follow at Tropico Way.

BREWER, James
Neptune Society

BROOKS, Sophie
Beloved mother of Monte (Bonnie) Brooks; cherished grandmother of Robert and Steven Brooks; devoted sister of Mary Sweet. Sophie is also survived by many loving nieces and nephews.
Services Sunday at 3:00pm, Mount Sinai Memorial Park Chapel.
Mount Sinai Mortuary

BRYANT, Frank D., passed away on October 3, 1999, of complications from cancer. He was a highly decorated veteran of the Viet Nam War, 1975 Citizen of the Year in Fountain Valley, active in the Chamber of Commerce, Jay Cees, the Rams and NFL Booster Clubs, and the Huntington Valley Boys & Girls Club. He is survived by his wife, Merlene; daughters, Eileen and Kathy; 2 grandchildren; his mother, Dessie; a brother and 3 sisters, and hundreds of friends.
Funeral services will be held on Saturday, October 9 at 1:30pm at St. Mark Presbyterian Church in Newport Beach. A Military Funeral will be held immediately thereafter at Pacific View Memorial Park in Newport Beach.
In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to the Huntington Valley Boys & Girls Club.

BYRAM, Robert F.
Neptune Society

CARMAN, Georgia
Neptune Society

CROSS, Lucille Grace Born December 30, 1918; died September 27, 1999.
Survived by her son, Robert W. Queen and sisters, Jerry, June and Tootsie; and brothers, Raymond and Buddy and 3 grandchildren.
Memorial services will be held Saturday, October 9th, at 1:00pm at Inglewood Park Mortuary 3801 West Manchester Blvd. Inglewood, CA.
A viewing will be held Friday, October 8th between 3:00pm and 8:00pm.

DOUTHWAITE, Elsie
Neptune Society

FARHAT, Mary A.
Passed away October 4, 1999. Survived by her three children, Patricia Capell, Gregory and Richard Farhat.
Funeral Mass, Saturday, October 9, 1999 at 10:00am, Holy Cross Mausoleum Chapel, Culver City.

FEINBERG, Eleanor, Passed away October 4, 1999. Beloved wife of Bert. Loving mother of Jody and Suzy. Cherished grandmother of Samantha.
Services Sunday October 10, 1999 1pm, Mount Sinai Memorial Park, **Mount Sinai Mortuary.**

GITTLEMAN, Morris
Mount Sinai Mortuary

GLATT, Bernard, M.D.
Hillside Mortuary, 800/576-1994

GREITZER, Mildred
Hillside Mortuary, 800/576-1994

JETZKE, Lillian Pearl
Forest Lawn-Hollywood Hills

KAUFMAN, Jesse Jerome, 81, formerly of Canoga Park, passed on Wednesday, at home in Leisure World Laguna Hills. Survived by wife, Rose; sons, David; daughters, Laura and Betty, of Ventura; 1 sister (New York). Growing up in New York, Jesse quit school to support his family, worked at Uncle's dairy as milkman. Self-educated, served in WWII occupied Japan, moved family to California after being stationed. At age 30, began career in Import-Export Business, achieved executive level, traveled the Orient many times.
Burial at Eden Memorial, Mission Hills, Oct. 8.
Donations/Memorials to City of Hope.

KEMP, James Ray
Armstrong Family Directors

KITCHEN, William P.
Neptune Society

KLOPOT, Henry Adams, born February 3, 1915 in Brookline, Massachusetts; passed away October 3, 1999. Long-time theatre lighting designer. He designed the lighting at the Long Beach Arena as well as numerous Las Vegas casinos and luxury residential installations. He attended ranch school in Arizona, received his bachelors degree from the University of New Mexico and attended Yale University Graduate School of Drama and Architectural Lighting. He was an active member of the Illuminating Engineering Society, having served as chairman of the New England section. An avid car collector, he was awarded many trophies for his cars, having owned Bentleys, Rolls Royce and Cadillac automobiles. Henry enjoyed driving his cars and participated in many club tours. He was member of The Classic Car Club of America and the Rolls Royce Owners Club. He served many years as secretary of Le Cercle and helped sponsor it's Concour D'Elegance. He has held many positions in RROC including Chairman of the 1987 National meet in Long Beach and has been a Vice President of Awards and the Southwest Region Director for RROC. In 1994, he was awarded RROC's highest award, The Presidents Trophy. A veteran of WWII, he served in the U.S. Army on Guam. A resident of Los Angeles since 1954, he joined Century Lighting Company, both in New York and in Los Angeles, and later in partnership with the late Stan Bales before retiring. Henry the "consummate gentleman" will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

LANGE, Margaret, wife of the late Hugh W. Lange, passed away October 5, 1999.
Funeral Mass Saturday, 10:30am, at St. Andrew Church, 300 N. Raymond Ave., Pasadena.
Cabot & Sons, Pasadena, Directors, 626/793-7158.

LEVIN, Cecile Tovah, of Culver City, born November 23, 1937 in Brooklyn, New York; died on October 5, 1999.
A renowned Macrobiotic teacher and healer for more than 35 years, Cecile earned her B.A. from the State University of New York, and an M.A. degree from New York University. She studied at the University of Besancon, France, The New School for Social Research in New York, the National University of Metaphysics in Los Angeles, the World University of Ojai, and the Acupressure Workshop in Los Angeles.
A lifelong student of the philosophies of health and spiritual awareness, Cecile presented Macrobiotic teachings across the United States, in Europe, Hong Kong, India and Japan and has taught in universities and holistic training centers around the world. In 1973, she founded the Los Angeles East West Center for Macrobiotic Studies, and remained the center's director until her death. She is the author of "COOKING FOR REGENERATION: Macrobiotic Relief from Cancer, AIDS and Degenerative Disease." She is survived by her daughters, Ilana Levin and Asa Wild; and by her sister, Arlene Krumholz.
Private services for family and friends will be held Friday, October 7.

LUOMA, Steve Ray
Armstrong Family Directors

MARFIELD, Maralyn
Mount Sinai Mortuary

NEWCOMER, Donald, 84, passed away October 5, 1999. Arrangements entrusted to **Turner & Stevens, Alhambra Mortuary**

O'TOUSA, Joseph E., died at home on October 5, 1999, after a brief illness. He is survived by his wife of 51 years, Jane; his 5 children, their spouses and 7 grandchildren.
A Memorial service will be held at 7:00pm, on October 11, 1999, at Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Northridge.
In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Feed the Children, PO Box 36, Oklahoma City, OK. 73101.
Bastian & Perrott, Northridge, 818/886-8686.

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PALMER, Dorothy F., 88, homemaker from Irvine, California, passed away October 5, 1999. She is survived by her children, D. Craig Palmer, Peter L. Palmer and Dr. Victoria Palmer; grandchildren, Lori, Elizabeth, Tatiana, Bradford, Jocelyn and Dustin; and two great-grandchildren.
Visitation will be held on Friday, October 8 from 4:00 to 7:00pm at Pacific View Mortuary with funeral services at 11:00am on Saturday, October 9, 1999 at Pacific View Mortuary, 3500 Pacific View Drive, Newport Beach, CA.
Pacific View Mortuary, 3500 Pacific View Drive, Newport Beach, CA. 949/644-2700.

PERLSTROM, Grace
Armstrong Family Directors

PLATT, Barbara G.
Mount Sinai Mortuary

RASMUSSEN, Ralph G. "Slim"
Age 77. Born July 3, 1922, Washington; passed away October 3, 1999, Los Angeles, California. Survived by son, James R. Rasmussen; daughter, Paula K. Helvey; 2 grandchildren; brother, Charles Rasmussen; sisters, Helen Mandley and Jean Curtis.
Visitation services held at Rose Hills Mortuary Statesmen, Thursday, Oct. 7, 6p-8:30p, Gate #1 and Friday, Oct. 8, 8am-12pm. Services directed by Rose Hills Mortuary, Friday, Oct. 8, 1pm, Garden of Love Lawn, 3888 S. Workman Mill Rd., Whittier, Gate #1. Interment at **Rose Hills Memorial Park, 3888 S. Workman Mill Rd., Whittier.**

REED, Roy A.
Armstrong Family Directors

RUBIO, George, April 27, 1935-October 4, 1999.
George Rubio, formerly of the San Fernando Valley, passed away peacefully at the University Medical Center in South Las Vegas, Nevada, on Monday, October 4, 1999. He is survived by his beloved wife, Pamela; and children, Stephen, Cynthia, Nancy, Jeffrey, Ronald and Toni; stepchildren, Lorri, Paul and Ada; sister, Rose Marie; and brother, Johnny; grandchildren, Sabrina, Erich, Norton, Lindsey-Ann, Nickalaus, Chelsey, Katy, Brooks, Drew, Matthew, Scott, Daniel, Denise, Robert, Ralph, George, Michael and Andrew. He was also loving stepfather to Christopher (1981-1999). He was a kind and caring father and grandfather, whose greatest please was watching his children participate in sports.
George enjoyed a career in construction with Curtis-Hooker, Blacktop Materials Co., his own companies, Rubio Tractor and Rubio Paving, and S & S Paving from 1969 until his retirement in 1998. He was a mentor to so many who worked with his and commanded respect among his peers and co-workers throughout his career.
He loved to admonish family members and co-workers alike to "be a half-hour early."
The funeral will be held on Saturday, October 9, 1999 at 12:30pm in the Old North Church at Forest Lawn Memorial Park, Hollywood Hills, 6300 Forest Lawn Drive, off the 134 Freeway adjacent to Griffith Park, followed by a graveside service.

RUBIO, George R.
Forest Lawn-Hollywood Hills

SANCHEZ, Mario Jesus
Forest Lawn-Hollywood Hills

SILVER, Dorothy
Groman Eden Mortuary

SPIKER, Harold "Spike"
Hillside Mortuary, 800/576-1994

STANKIEWICZ, Dorothy
Armstrong Family Directors

THOMAS, Elihu "Lee," passed away on October 4, 1999.
Visitation will be Friday, Oct. 8 from 5pm-8pm, with Funeral services on Sunday, Oct. 10 at 1:30pm, both at **Douglas & Zook Mortuary, 600 E. Foothill Blvd., Monrovia, CA.**

WEISBLY, Vivian
Hillside Mortuary, 800/576-1994

WISE, Jesse R. 1909 - 1999.
Survived by his daughters, Bev Jordan, Gerry Hoachen; 6 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren.
Services October 11, 1999 at 12:00pm at **Inglewood Park Cemetery.**

YAHIRO, Robert Kaye, passed away Sat. Oct. 2, 1999. He is survived by his sisters, Patsy Yahiro and Marilyn Nagamine, an extended Yahiro and Oba family. He was 62, a graduate of USC and an Electrical Engineer. He touched so many people's lives, and I'll miss him dearly.
Funeral Service is 11:00AM Tuesday, October 12, 1999 at **Greenhills Mortuary (310) 831-0311**

YAMANAKA, Sumiye, 97, passed away on October 5, 1999. Beloved mother of Taka Tom Yamanaka and Kumiko (Daniel) Shibuya; grandmother of Scott (Linda), Kevin (Lindy) and Daniel (Carla) Shibuya, Daniel (Sue) and Joan Hayashi and Dawn (Ron) Needham; great-grandmother of 8 and great great grandmother of 1.
Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, October 12, from 7:30pm at Fukui Mortuary "Chapel in the Garden," 707 E. Temple St., Los Angeles, with Bishop Taisen Miyata of Koyasan Buddhist Temple officiating.
Fukui Mortuary, Directors, (213)626-0441

ZARKARIAN, Anastasia Gershoun
Forest Lawn-Hollywood Hills

In Memoriam

ISIDORE E. NADEAU
A Memorial Mass has been announced for Isidore E. Nadeau, 74, of Tampa, Florida, formerly of Los Angeles, California, who died June 11, 1999, in Tampa.
The Mass will be celebrated tomorrow at Holy Trinity Parish, 1292 West Santa Cruz Street, San Pedro, CA. 90732.
Born December 2, 1924, in Woonsocket, Rhode Island. A son of the late Israel and Delphine (Bell) Nadeau. Isidore was a graduate of Mount St. Charles Academy, Woonsocket bachelor's degree from the University of Ottawa with a MSW degree from Boston, University. He worked for the Veterans Administration until retirement.
Mr. Nadeau was a Army veteran during the Korean era. Mr. Nadeau was interested in amateur theater on several levels. In Florida he formed Ham's Inc. a theater group that continues to perform.
He is survived by his niece, Mrs. Therese Gervais of Woonsocket, Rhode Island. He is also survived by his long-time Friend and Companion, Paul Cloutier.
His funeral was held June 16 with a Mass at Incarnation Catholic Church, Tampa. Burial was in Florida National Veterans Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida.

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